

HOW WE ARE RULED.

The Sly Process of Governing is a Secret that the Kept Newspapers and "Educators" Must Keep Still About. Only Ignorance Permits the Few Rich to Rule.

The most under-paid and thankless job one can undertake is the enlightenment of misguided and deceived people. In the olden days they who undertook it usually died on the cross or were burned to a stake. But we have advanced some. It is not so bad as it was a few centuries ago, yet it is still a hazardous and thankless job.

There is nothing the matter with the human race except false education—ignorance. This false education is implanted in childhood, and there it remains and develops as the age of maturity is reached. I want you to follow me closely—and read this a second time.

If you do not find my reasoning sound, I want you to write and tell me about it. Any question you may ask, I will try to answer in the plainest and simplest manner at my command. Even some who are considered "educated" are as blind to facts as many who cannot read. It is their training, and for this they are not to blame.

Now, listen! There are three things that the masses are taught to respect above all others—in so-called heathen lands as well as in so-called Christian countries.

These three things may be expressed in a single word—AUTHORITY!

All of them are creations of the RULING CLASS OF THE TIME. History proves this from the earliest period of which we have any record.

The three things by which an idle ruling class remains securely mounted on our backs are "the church," the courts and the army. I mention the church first, because it is the most cunning and powerful. It works on the mind, and the mind controls the body. Your body does nothing voluntarily that the mind does not will.

As I said in the beginning, we are advancing some—but very slowly, considering the means at hand. For a thousand years in Europe it was night—black night. This was from the fifth to the fifteenth centuries. During this period the church and state were one—with the church on top. The priesthood was supported by taxation, just as other officials were. Learning among the masses was forbidden, except such learning as the church wanted them to have. To doubt what the church taught or to even be suspected of doubting, meant the confiscation of property to church and state, imprisonment, torture and often a horrible death at the stake. The church taught, for instance, that the earth was flat and that the sun moved around it. Poor, 70-year-old Gulliver who held to the theory that the earth was round and moved around the sun was arrested and imprisoned by the "holy" inquisition and was saved from burning at the stake only by recanting—denying the truth! Many others were tortured and put to death for holding to the theory that the sun was round and moved around the earth. The church taught, for instance, that the earth was flat and that the sun moved around it. Poor, 70-year-old Gulliver who held to the theory that the earth was round and moved around the sun was arrested and imprisoned by the "holy" inquisition and was saved from burning at the stake only by recanting—denying the truth! Many others were tortured and put to death for holding to the theory that the sun was round and moved around the earth.

In the 10th chapter of Joshua 12th and 13th verses, we are told that the Lord was very accommodating and had the sun to stand still for a whole day in order to give Uncle Josh daylight enough to lick his enemies. In olden times the Lord was always commander-in-chief of the victor armies—for it was the leaders of the victorious armies who wrote the record. The other fellows were put to death or enslaved, and of their side of the controversy we know nothing. This story of the sun standing still for Joshua was one of their choice "miracles," and when people began to talk about the sun always standing still, it threatened to put that particular "miracle" out of business. Hence the persecutions, tortures and burnings.

Every person at all familiar with the past knows this to be true, but the story is kept from the great mass of people. To expose a blunder like that might interfere with the "infallibility" of "the church." The ruling class does not want the masses to know the incubator from which our present day "Christianity" was hatched. There are many other religions in the world, and all of them are used by the different rulers to the same end—to keep the masses contented, obedient and hopeful.

At this very time little children are having it crammed into their innocent minds that the world was created in six days, that Adam was the first inhabitant, and that all this happened less than six thousand years ago. Yet it is a well established fact, and is taught in the higher schools, that the earth is millions of years old; that it has been inhabited by man for hundreds of thousands of years, and that civilized man is a development from the savage.

According to the traditional story of Creation, the Lord had a supply of nothing from which he

proceeded to make heaven, earth, water, animals, fish and so on. After all this was finished he discovered that he needed a tenant to look after things and made Adam. It seems that the Lord didn't have his plans well matured, and woman was an afterthought. Adam looked lonesome and the Lord paraded the different animals before him, which he named. But Adam didn't want any of the animals as a house-keeper and appeared sullen and grumpy. So the Lord looked around to find that the nothing had all been used up, and he caused a "deep sleep" to come over Adam, performed a surgical operation on his ribs—and there was Eve!

As for the age of the earth, look about you. Examine the cliffs along the road about three miles this side of the Cape where, fifty feet above your head, you can see where the water lashed those hard rocks for ages and ages. Or go to Lone Rock, near Bleda, and try to estimate how long it would take water to cut a rock into such a shape? And then figure how long ago it might have been since that water disappeared and left tillable soil? Do you know that coal is decayed vegetation? And it is found many hundreds of feet under ground. THAT was once the surface.

A peculiar thing about the Christians is the way they hate the Jews. They say the Jews crucified Christ. Yet the old testament of their bible is taken from the Jews, and it was the Romans who crucified Christ. Jerusalem had been conquered by the Romans and the Jews were an ensnared people. But after the Romans had adopted Christianity as their state religion, it wouldn't look good to have it said they crucified their own God, so they laid it on the Jews.

There are endless religions and gods—from stone idols to Jehovah. And the believer in the stone image is just as honest and as "faithful" as the believer in Jehovah or Christ. He has been taught that way from childhood and has never been allowed to hear anything else. He has been taught that all other gods than his hideous stone image are fakes. He thinks he has religion—yet he is only ignorant and prejudiced. The rulers accept any kind of religion best suited to the prejudice and exploitation of the people. In exactly the same way they adopt their political principles and policies. They have neither religious sentiment nor political principles, and will stand for anything that will permit them to remain in the saddle.

England has dependencies all over the world. India is the richest country under the English crown. In England the king is a Christian, and in all of the state functions Christian ministers perform the ceremonies. But in India it is different. When "His Majesty" comes to India to accept the allegiance of those benighted and enslaved people, and in going through a performance of great splendor called the "Durbar," he transforms himself into a "heathen." And the heathen ministers "perform the ceremonies!"

W. H. Taft is a "heathen." He does not believe that Christ was conceived of the Holy Ghost. He believes that Christ was a man, just like you or I, and that it was Constantine the Great, who made a God of him in the 4th century, when this Pagan emperor made Christianity the state religion of the Roman empire. This was well known and much discussed among churchmen when Mr. Taft was a candidate for president.

In Rome, Italy sits a man who claims that Christ was the son of God, and that he is His representative on earth. Imagine the contempt, or pity, or anything a believing man. He can see in him only an imposter or a fool. Yet, when the election of Mr. Taft was announced, the Pope was among the first to telegraph his congratulations to this "heathen." Can you beat it!

The things that the ruling class need most are of course always "sacred." And the strongest safeguards that human ingenuity can invent are placed about them. Notice the platforms of the old parties of two years ago, how they try to bolster up the waning respect the masses have for their courts.

"The courts of justice are the bulwark of our liberties," shouted the Democrats, and the Republicans yelled, "Amen!" Let a newspaper or individual criticize a court and there is danger of being imprisoned for contempt. Yet no intelligent observer can avoid having contempt for our money-ruling courts. This precaution to give the courts power to punish those who may criticize their acts is one of the evidences of the "sacredness" of the courts.

"The church" in most countries has been protected in the same way. But "the church" is losing its teeth and must depend on the political arm of the Plunderbund for protection. We have several hundred different kinds of religions in this country, and if the minister of one of these gets up to "deliver the Word," and you should interrupt him by asking an annoying question, he can have you jailed for "disturbing religious worship." Rev. Bouck White of New York tried it on Rockefeller's "eminent divine" and got six months for it.

Now let us take up the army! In the common schools very little is taught of history except about the great wars. The greatest butchers of humanity are pictured as almost immaculate. Great heroes!

The introduction of Christianity as the state religion of the Roman empire is attributed to a war. Emperor Constantine the Great, we are told, was engaged in a war and the Prince of Peace exhibited to him the Sign of the Cross in the heavens and the inscription, "In Hoc Signo Vinces"—meaning, "In this sign conquer." According to the story, this "converted" the Pagan butcher, and ever since then we have been torturing and murdering our brothers in the name of Jesus, the non-resistant!

The truth is that Constantine's vision was a fake—just as are all of the stories of "miracles" that come to us from that time. The teachings of Christ had taken deep root among the poor and oppressed—the sort of people who cannot be fought without. In the course of the most severe persecutions the Christians had become a power to be reckoned with—the same as the Socialists of today. Constantine needed the support of this power, and to get it he announced his "conversion." This was 325 years after Christ. The change from Paganism to Christianity did not take place in a day. Constantine remained at the head of the Pagan religion and took good care of the Pagan gods. At the same time he began to convert Pagan temples into Christian churches and take care of Christian leaders. The result was that a counterfeit or Paganized Christianity was established on the ruins of Paganism, and it is this counterfeit that is with us today.

Only the Socialists believe in, and are trying to revive, the economic teachings of the Carpenter of Nazareth. And his teachings are as bitterly opposed by the ruling class of today as 1900 years ago. Jesus was not crucified because of any views he held concerning a future life—except to the extent that such views enlightened the enslaved masses.

It was his economic views that the ruling class of his day could not permit to be spread. "He stirred up the people," was the principal charge against him before Judge Pilate. Then, as now, the High Priests were the defenders of the Big Pocket Book, and when Jesus drove the money-changers from the temple, and told them they had made of it "a den of thieves," that was of course, again religion—just as it would be today.

But I am drifting. What are the earliest and, therefore, lasting impressions made upon the male child? About the first toys he gets are a horn or a drum, in imitation of the bugle and the drum of the army. Next come toy soldiers, cannon, gun, pistol or saber, and a flag. Then he goes to a Fourth of July celebration and sees fire-works and flags, and hears a lot of bum oratory about our war for independence and our fake freedom. Not infrequently he sees huge military displays and hears the cannon roar. At the postoffice he sees seductive pictures about army life, and in small cities he can see mounted cannon.

In such towns, at the age of 14, he is encouraged to enlist as a Boy Scout. This annex to the military is usually conducted by the church or Sunday school. They deny that it has any military connection, yet it is only a training school for wholesale murder.

When the boy grows up he meets on every hand the temptation to join the army. All of his life he has listened to the jingoists tell about the "glories of war." The savage, or military, spirit has been thoroughly developed, and he wants to become a hero. And if he commits murder without going into the army we pityously wonder why?

The grown man is nothing more than the developed child, and whatever the child is taught will be in the man. The priests know this. That is why they begin the "education" of the child at the cradle, and refuse to let it be taught from any book not written BY THE PRIESTS THEMSELVES! They denounce public schools. The man is not to blame

for his ideas nor his conduct—at least, not wholly to blame. These simply reflect his education and training in earlier life, and the economic conditions under which he lives. And if he becomes vicious we try to correct him by being more vicious than he. We jail or hang him.

"The church" is falling to staves. If you want to see the result of fifteen hundred years of unbridled bogus Christianity, take a peep at conditions in Europe! While pretending to be believers in the Prince of Peace, they were piling up guns and ammunition to be used in destroying each other. People are wondering what means the commandment, "Thou shalt not kill?"

The courts are becoming the jest of even the common people. The "sacred" halo so carefully woven about them has vanished. The bunc about "patriotism" and "our country" also falls on deaf ears. Hence enlistments in the army are few, and these mostly from the ignorant and criminal classes.

The great mass of people realize that they have no country and are slow to take up arms in defense of the land on which they must pay rent to live.

And as the truth unfolds, and the deception and fraud is revealed to the working class, the power of those on their backs will crumble.

"The Church," the Courts and the army are the Holy Trinity of the Ruling Class.

A GOOD SHOWING

On account of the good report made by the receivers of the Frisco for the fiscal year of 1914-15, it is reported that the Public Service Commission is likely to look with favor on the tentative plan for the re-organization—Chaffee Signal.

So? Then the government can and does operate railroads better than the gentlemen who take all the earnings and then some—as a reward for their exceptional ability. Here was a great railroad system wrecked by private ownership. The "experts" were down and out, and could not continue. So the government took charge, operated the roads, and in less than two years we are told that the road is "on its feet" again! Nearly all of the railroads of the nation are now being operated by the government. The private plunderers have stolen about everything but the rotten ties. And when anyone objects to this and says the government ought to own and operate the roads, he is denounced as "dangerous," a free lover and an infidel.

The farmers who produce the grain and hogs and cattle ought to own the way to market. It is just as necessary that the people should own the railroads as the dirt roads. It took a hard fight to get rid of the dirt toll roads. It will take a harder fight to get rid of the rail toll roads—yet the people have paid for all of them over and over again.

DEATH THEM TO IT

Deputy Sheriff Stromberg and six other men made a raid Saturday night on a house near the State Line, captured forty-three persons, of whom thirty were in prison. There were four white men, four negro women and the others were negro men. Eighteen of them pleaded guilty before Esq. Morgan to gambling, and paid their fines. Twenty-one were then brought to Caruthersville Sunday in five autos and placed in jail. Two were taken down to Tyler Wednesday for trial—Pemisot Argus.

The account does not say so, but these were probably laborers engaged in ditch or other work near by. It was on Saturday night and all had probably been paid off. That they were of a low type of laborers is evident. But we also have low types in business.

The laborers had worked hard all week and were enjoying the only recreation of which they knew—drinking and gambling. Society has crowded them down to this level. Each had a few dollars and the officers of the law knew this. So the officers made the raid and got their money instead of letting them win or lose it among themselves.

So long as they rolled the bones these laborers had a chance. But when the officers came their money was gone—gone!

BOUNDARIES NEEDED.

"Ma! Ma!" bawled Freddie as the usual morning wash was going on. "Do my ears belong to my face or my neck?"

Ma temporized. "Why, what is the matter?" She asked.

"I want it decided now. Every time you tell Mary to wash my face or my neck she washes my ears too."—Ladies Home Journal.

SUPERSENSITIVE.

"I am a servant of the people," said the man who is more polite than patriotic.

"I don't like to hear you call yourself a servant," commented Farmer Cornetossel. "As I think of the taxes I pay toward your salary, it makes me feel as if I were up against the tipping bowl."—Washington Star.

IT IS DIFFERENT NOW.

For some reason the saints and alleged apostles of Christ are not feared and persecuted by the ruling class as were the early Christians who preached and also PRACTICED real Christianity.

According to The Evangelist here is what happened to some of the early Christians who preached against the oppression and robbery of the masses. St. Matthew is supposed to have suffered martyrdom, or was slain with the sword, at the city of Ethiopia, in Egypt. St. Luke was hanged upon an olive tree in Greece. St. John was put into a caldron of boiling oil at Rome, and escaped death at Ephesus, in Asia. St. James the Great was beheaded at Jerusalem. St. James the Less was thrown from a pinnacle or wing of the temple and then beaten to death with a fuller's club. St. Philip was hanged up against a pillar at Hierapolis, a city in Phrygia. St. Bartholomew was flayed alive by the command of a barbarous king. St. Andrew was bound to a cross, whence he preached unto the people until he expired. St. Thomas was run thru the body with a lance at Comandene, in the East Indies. St. Simon was crucified in Persia. St. Matthias was first stoned and then beheaded. St. Barnabas was stoned to death by Jews at Salamis. St. Paul was beheaded by Nero.

But it is different now. The so-called Christian "leaders" live off the fat of the land and let their dupes do the suffering.

EASY TO UNDERSTAND.

Some of the bone-heads are at a loss to understand why murder and crime is on the increase. They deplore the fact that while murder is on the increase, the number of legal executions decrease. They cannot understand the increase in the number of citizens who disqualify themselves as jurors in murder cases because of conscientious scruples against the death penalty.

The reason that every day more and more people are becoming convinced that legal murder is no more to be justified than any other kind, is known as progress. We are getting farther and farther away from savagery. That the number of murders is increasing is due to the fact that the struggle for existence under our savage, dog-eat-dog system becomes daily fiercer.

Now you may say that I have contradicted myself. Not at all. The defenders and promoters of the savage system are in power, and profit by it, while they who are moving onward and upward are those who refuse to sanction legal murder. And have not the power to make such changes as would eventually eliminate most of the causes that produce strife and murder.

MAN'S DESTINY.

By Victor Hugo

Staged by stage man must leave behind him the false dreams of physical strife, the antagonism of his fellows, the sharp pursuit of his individual needs. He will not leave behind him, he will not leave temptation. At every step will appear new evils to be combated. This his curse, is also his blessing, for only in battle can the soul of man be strengthened for immortality. For this struggle—endless, eternal, glorious—the struggle upward, by means of the perfect law of liberty, into celestial light—I believe that Socialism will, in wonderful and unforeseen measures, set free the soul of man.

In the twentieth century, war will be dead, the scaffold will be dead, hatred will be dead, frontier boundaries will be dead, dogmas will be dead; man will live. He will possess something higher than all these—a great country, the whole earth, and a great hope, the whole heaven.

IS THERE A LIVING WAGE?

Yes, they do die where a living wage is not paid. Julia Lothrop, head of the Federal Children's Bureau, has found the following facts from an accurate study of infant mortality among the children of wage earners. Listen to the terrible tale these facts tell:

Where the fathers earned less than \$521 a year, 256 babies in each 1,000 died.

Where the father earned from \$421 to \$524, 158 babies in each 1,000 died.

Where the father earned from \$625 to \$800, 122 babies in each 1,000 died.

Where the father earned \$900 and over, 97 babies in each 1,000 died.

Are dying wages a necessity in the United States, where we have such a large crop of millionaires, all of whom have made their great fortunes out of the difference between a living wage and the dying which they have paid to the workers of this country? We leave the answer to you.

ON THE FOAMY DEEP.

"Here's a nickel," said a thrifty housewife to a tramp at the door "Now what are you going to do with it?"

"Well, mum," replied the hungry man, "I'll buy a touring car. I shan't have enough left to pay my chauffeur; if I purchase a steam yacht, there won't be enough left to defray the cost of manning her; so I guess, mum, I'll just get a schooner and handle her myself."—Harper's Magazine.

The winter season is with us, and you will want some good reading. Get the Kicker.

IN THE SOUTHEAST.

What the People are Doing in Other Counties that are Near.

"I was glancing over the names and professions of the men who represent the state of Missouri in our national Congress" writes a contributor to the little Hunter Southeast Missourian. "There are two in the United States sent to the column headed 'occupation' it ran, 'Lawyer, lawyer, lawyer,' and that was the way it went on down to the end with but two exceptions—one is a 'politician' and the other a 'banker.' I began to wonder if there were no people in Missouri but 'lawyers' with an occasional politician and banker, that there was no other business or profession represented in Congress. And the lawyer, least of all, is fitted temperamentally to represent any class but his own. His is the only class that is bound to the juggernaut of precedent. He dare not define a simple phrase until he goes to the decisions to see what others have said about it. Every other interest is changing and progressing, but the lawyer is tied to his precedent as a priest is to his creed. His whole mental processes revolve around 'precedent' as a wheel around the axle. If the farmer wants a square deal he should see that members of his own class represent him in the law making bodies."

Jackson Cashbook.—About a week ago Sheriff Summers got some information concerning a party which led him to believe it was the same person who held up and robbed young Meyers and Schaeffer of the Tiltit neighborhood when they were down about Allenville a few Sundays ago. Last Friday the Sheriff started out to round him up and succeeded in locating and arresting him near Illinois. He was stopping at a small cabin in the woods near that place. The Sheriff took him in charge and brought him to this city and lodged him in jail. He then phoned to Meyers and Schaeffer and had them come up Saturday morning to identify him. The boys readily pointed him out from among the other prisoners as the one who had robbed them.

Pemisot Argus.—About July 1, L. H. Gale of Concord experimented by cutting some sweet potato vines into lengths of about three feet, tying a knot in each one, and planting them. They grew in due time and few of them died in the hot, dry days that followed. Two of the hills are now on exhibition in this office, just as he dug them from the ground. One easily sees the knot Mr. Gale tied in the vine. To one are attached eleven potatoes and the other nine, all but four or five of which are large enough for eating purposes and one of which must weigh a pound at least.

Charleston Enterprise.—Furness Brothers, who are cleaning up one of the Moore farms, were surprised one day last week when a wild cat jumped from a tree and showed its fangs. As they did not have a gun, the only thing left for them to do was to get out of his way. This is the first wild cat seen in this section for years.

Read the unmuzzled Kicker.

CAPITALIST POLITICS.

To one who stands off and sees it as it is, there is nothing quite so disgusting as capitalist politics—nor quite as rotten. Over in Indiana it seems that about all of the respectable people are headed for the penitentiary because of bribery and election frauds. There are many "prominent citizens" in the clutches of the law, but the law only gets the tools, and never the scoundrels higher up who are responsible for it all.

In capitalist politics there are very seldom any clearly defined issues of any consequence to settle. And when a clear issue is submitted to the voters, the masses are so thoroughly befogged by the kept press, the politicians and the muzzled clergy that no intelligent expression can be had. Four years ago a proposition was put before the people to so amend the state constitution as to tax land held out of use for speculation the same as the land the farmer tills, and to exempt from taxation all machinery and live stock and improvements on the farm.

The purpose of this amendment was to force land held out of use by speculators on the market, so that your boys now coming out might have a chance to own a farm and not be forced to become rent-payers. Had they understood this, not a farmer or working-man would have voted against it.

But they were led by the press, the politicians and the political pulpit, so that the very men in whose interest the measure was intended, voted it down.

The Kicker was the only paper in Scott county that dared to advocate the Single Tax—and the vile sheet has been declared by the "holy" men and politicians to be agin religion.

The political conditions of a nation or community reflect all other conditions as a mirror. Rotten politics is possible only when all else is rotten. Clean people would insist on clean politics and

Charleston Enterprise.—Julius Misset, a large land owner and prosperous farmer of Scott county, living three miles north of Diehlstadt on the Benton road lost his large barn and out buildings last Monday afternoon about 2 o'clock by fire. The barn was well filled with hay and grain which was all burned, causing a loss estimated at \$5,000, partially covered with insurance. Mr. Misset was away from home attending to some levee work at the time of the fire which was caused by one of his men carelessly dropping a lighted match.

Portageville Missourian.—When it comes to getting the best of the hawks and owls that want to destroy chickens it takes Bill Hill to conquer, capture and kill the winged chicken thieves. Mrs. Hill was in our office Tuesday and told us how successful her husband was with his device. He put up posts near the poultry house and on the post a trap. The owl or hawk, as the case may be, that sought a chicken diet would light on the post, get caught in the trap and there bide the time until Bill got to it and made disposition.

Charleston Republican.—A pumpkin that measured six feet ten inches, and weighed over 100 pounds was presented by the Farmers Supply Company of East Prairie, Mississippi county, to Bert H. Drane of the Public Service Commission on Tuesday. At the same time this company sent a sweet potato that weighed 4 1-2 pounds.

The Fredericktown News tells of the excellence of a play at the theatre there written by Jack London. Evidently those benighted people did not know that Jack London is one of the leading socialist authors of the nation, or they would have refused to see his play. But the News reports a large attendance, and that they who missed it "missed a treat."

At Fredericktown the good people said with the saloon out of the way all would be lovely. The saloon was put out. Now a petition is before the city council to remove the marshal because he cannot keep order—and the city treasury is empty. The reformers will have to strike deeper than the saloon if they want to reach the root of our troubles.

Claude Seroginas, another Caruthersville bank cashier, was taken to the penitentiary last week to serve eight years. This makes two Pemisot county bank cashiers in the pen. Now, if they could only send the ex-officials that ought to be there, the Pemisot colony in Jeff City would be a live one.

Near Caruthersville Levee Contractor Bush was robbed of \$975. He had put the money in small envelopes in a safe to pay off Sunday morning, but another showed business man beat him to it during the night.

Put the Kicker in every working class home. It is needed. Stick to the unmuzzled Kicker.

would tolerate nothing else. Our loose politics reflects our loose character—and ignorance.

To a very large extent, what is commonly called a campaign is nothing more than a scramble between men, or groups of men for soft jobs—and power. There is really never anything for the voters to decide, except a choice between men they seldom or never see, and who have no convictions.

At all so-called important elections methods that a white slave would balk at are employed by the rival politicians seeking jobs and power. There was a time when candidates would give as an excuse for seeking office that they wanted the office for the "honor" of it. But that was before the public understood so well how offices are secured.

A MEAN TRICK.

The city youth secured a job with Farmer Jones. The morning after his arrival, promptly at 4 o'clock, the farmer rapt on his door and told him to get up. The youth protested.

"What for?" he asked rubbing his eyes.

"Why, we're going to cut oats," replied the farmer.

"Are they wild oats," queried the youth, "that you've got to sneak up on 'em in the dark?"—Circle and Success.

PENALTY OF DISTINCTION.

"I represent the dignity of labor," said the man in his shirt-sleeves.

"Yes" replied Mr. Dustin Shirk; "and you can work in your shirt-sleeves and speak your mind, and quit work when your regular hours are through. I've got to wear a high hat and guard every word I speak and keep busy sixteen hours a day. I represent the labor of dignity."—Washington Star.

So long as the workers take the advice of the boss on political matters the boss will remain boss.